

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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For : DEVICE FOR ACTIVATING AN ACTUATOR  
SYSTEM FOR PROTECTING A PEDESTRIAN  
Examiner : Eric M. Blount  
Group Art Unit : 2612  
Confirmation No. : 9005  
**Customer No.** : **26646**

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**AMENDMENT AFTER A FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

SIR:

In response to the Final Office Action of August 12, 2009 (the two-month response date for which is October 12, 2009), please reconsider the above-identified application based on the following.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

Applicant respectfully provides payment of the additional claim fee for the one (1) net added independent claims in the accompanying transmittal.